

The Vernon News

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New "Copsule" Commando Course

Graduate air crews are now toughened at Three Rivers, Que. commando school. The officers, too, go over the jumps at Three Rivers. Here the chief commando instructor, Squadron Leader J. G. Goldie, R.C.A.F., and Lieut. W. Robinson show the men that they can do it as well. Airman efficiency steps up noticeably at the end of the 30-day course.

Final Appeal to Vernon Citizens from the Mayor

"Citizens of Vernon: In previous Victory Loan campaigns, Vernon has always exceeded its quota—in most cases the last minute rush put the loan totals far over the top. On this account a complacent attitude has again been assumed by the citizens of Vernon.

"There is a very great danger that this complacency will ruin Vernon's reputation. The present general apathy towards purchase of Sixth Victory Loan bonds has been such that there is a serious danger Vernon will not even reach its quota.

"The only means of combating this condition and making the loan a success, is for every citizen of Vernon to purchase bonds to the limit of his or her capacity. If you have already purchased a bond, see if you can make another purchase to boost the sales. If you have not purchased, I appeal to you most earnestly to 'Do it now.'

"Talk Victory Bonds to your friends, show leadership by displaying your tag, induce others to buy.

"Vernon has provided proud leadership among the men and women of the Armed Services. Vernon has a reputation of supporting those men and women in every way. I appeal to every citizen now to assist in maintaining that record by purchasing Victory Bonds.

"Your Help is Needed!"

DAVID HOWRIE, Mayor.

Champions "Foreign Born" Owners of Orchard Lands

Large Fruit Holdings in B X Sub-divided; Spokesman For Fruit Agency Takes Stand

The final sale of orchard land involved in the sub-dividing of the British Columbia Orchard Syndicate has been made this week. This extensive property in the B X district, recently purchased by a group of Vernon business-men, and immediately cut into small blocks and re-sold. It constitutes the largest transfer of lands which brought forth protests to the B.O.F.G.A. executive that foreigners are buying orchards in practically every part of the Valley, and asking that some action be taken to counteract this movement.

Commenting on this subject, J. West, Advertising Manager of B.O. Tree Fruits Limited, who was in Vernon this week had this to say: "I think that the appellation 'Foreigners' is distasteful to the B.O. Fruit Growers' Association and our organization. After all, there are very few fruit growers but would have to try their origin to some other country than Canada, and it has always been the policy of the B.O.F.G.A. and Tree Fruits Ltd. not to differentiate in any way whatever between growers. Just as long as the party concerned is putting forth genuine and sincere effort to improve both the commodity which we are selling to the public, and to improve the condition and that of the community, he should be accepted without question as a fully-accredited citizen and member of our industry.

Accept Them as Proven Value. "Let us set aside prejudices of the kind, and we can be assured that our friends and fellow fruit-growers who have thought enough of our country to become naturalized citizens will be fully capable and willing to join in preserving the standards and the liberties which all of us hold dear. The growers are together for the purpose of improving their country and their community. We should accept readily to the industry at large, and to the community at large, that a man of any nationality is valued for his performance, not for his ancestry.

"If there is any regret in this matter, it is that those people because land-owners at times of control, and perhaps know little of the feeling of the struggle that fruit growers in this district have had to endure to build their own organization to control their own business, and to assure producers the maximum return for capital investment and their labor."

Ram Tank on Display Last Saturday to Push Loan Drive. A Ram Tank, one of the latest pieces of Canadian mobilized equipment, was displayed outside the Post Office on Saturday for two hours each in the afternoon and evening. The machine was thrown open to the public, who were invited to look over the vehicle. The exhibition was sponsored by the Vernon Victory Loan committee. Short speeches were made by committee members and other citizens through P.A. system to support the campaign.

Men of Headquarters Squadron, 8th Armored Regiment, B.C.D.'s (Reserve) "C" Squadron, from Penikese Island, and the 2nd Battalion, Rocky Mountain Rangers, this latter is an interior unit, made up from Kamloops, Salmon Arm and other points in the North Okanagan. Further details with regard to the camp are not available at this writing.

North Okanagan, Be Behind Invasion—Buy More Victory Bonds Today

'Hopper Outbreak Forecast

Agriculturists Warned. Indications Point to Plague This Season

"Unusually early hatchings of grasshoppers have been observed in the districts surrounding Vernon, and present conditions point to serious grasshopper outbreaks in all dry-belt areas of the province this summer," Ivor Ward, Provincial Entomologist, of this city, warned in a recent interview. Mr. Ward's statement was timely when consideration is given to the fact that a grasshopper plague broke out unexpectedly in many sections of the Interior last summer.

Mr. Ward pointed out that the proportion of the outbreaks this summer will depend on future weather conditions. Grasshoppers favor clear, warm weather, and are subject to attacks by fungus disease when continuous wet weather prevails after hatching. Neither winter frosts nor wet weather have any appreciable effect on unhatched eggs," he declared.

In regard to control methods he said that it will be necessary to use baiting materials as sparingly as possible and that it will probably be found necessary to broadcast the types of poisonous bait at a time when maximum results can be attained. Bulletins on grasshopper control methods are available at local agricultural offices or from the Provincial Entomologist.

Mr. Ward has received reports and has observed hoppers hatching in large numbers in the Coldstream Ranch, Bella Vista and Grandview flats areas, where cultivated crops are in early stages of growth. Several operators of hot-beds have also reported widespread hatching of hoppers, he declared.

"For Meritorious Service"

223 Squadron Receives Ensign In Ceremony Here

Solemn Dedication Marks Presentation Of Banner in City

In a solemn ceremonial and inspection at the Civic Arena on Wednesday afternoon 28 youths of the Vernon High School's 223 Air Cadet Squadron became the proud possessors of the Air Cadet Ensign, an exclusive award of merit for service to the crown.

The local "flight" was at its best. The Cadets seemed confident that they had achieved major success. "I will report when I return that this squadron has attained a most satisfactory standard of efficiency," declared the inspecting officer, Wing Commander C. P. Douglas, of Western Air Command, at the conclusion of the ceremonial and inspection.

Cadet Flying Officer H. D. Pritchard gave a salute to the inspection party after which he and Cadet P.O. George Falconer accompanied them in the official standing inspection of the squadron.

Wing Commander Douglas presented the Ensign which unfurled as the dedication was solemnized.

223 Squadron (Continued on Page 6, Col. 4)

Acute Shortage Of Butter Here

On May 1 there was the small total of only 3,400,000 pounds of butter in the nine large cities of Canada. At the same time of last year the total stocks of butter in the same cities were 5,597,000 pounds.

"The butter situation in Canada is very serious and every dairy farmer should do his best to increase production of cream," declared E. W. Clarke, manager, Okanagan Valley Co-operative Creamery Association.

Output of creamery butter at all plants in the Interior is now lower than last year at this time. The reason is said to be lack of the spring and poor growth. Cows are going out on short pastures in poor flesh. This is resulting in lower milk test and less butterfat production.

A good many dairy farmers are planning to seed corn for silage within the next 10 days.

B.C.D.'s, Other Units In Camp Here May 21

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An Invitation to Invest

We strongly urge those depositors with idle savings, who have not yet risen to the occasion, to invest their savings now—and to the limit. Complacency has endangered the success of your Victory Loan. We ask you to do your duty, and

"Do it Now."

We will open especially for your subscriptions on Saturday, May 13, from 2 to 4 p.m.

J. N. TAYLOR
GORDON FOX
A. W. HOWLETT

No Slackening in Civilian Defence, Warns Official

Praises Vernon's Revitalized System; Appointment of Controller Good Move

Ammunition Soon For Pest Control

Available to Members Vernon Fish, Game Club Towards The End of May

Dr. E. W. Prowse, president of the Vernon Fish and Game Protective Association, has received word from the Game Department, Trade Board, that ammunition will be made available to members of the local club to the end of May. This is an extension of one month.

The predatory Campaign Ammunition for Pest Control, was arranged by the Game Department of B.C. through the W.P.T.B. Sportsmen are able to get shot-gun, 22 calibre ammunition by applying to the president or secretary of the local Fish and Game Club, who has the necessary forms on hand.

It is the expressed opinion of the president of the Vernon Club that on the results of the present arrangement will depend to a large extent the amount of ammunition released in the district for sporting purposes next fall. He hopes that very good use will be made of this opportunity to destroy pests in the district.

Joseph Kepes Acquitted On Manslaughter Charge

Jury Returns Verdict After Two Hours Deliberation in Supreme Court of Assize

Joseph G. Kepes, 22, driver of a truck which struck cyclist John Kuper, 55, two miles north of Kelowna, on November 20 of last year, resulting in Kuper's death shortly afterwards in the Kelowna Hospital, was acquitted of a charge of manslaughter in the fifth day of the Supreme Court Spring Assizes before Mr. Justice J. O. Wilson, in Vernon on Friday.

No evidence of negligence could be found in crown evidence against Kepes.

He maintained that he was blinded by the lights of an on-coming vehicle driven by Harry Donald, of Vernon, that the cyclist loomed up before him at a speed sufficient time to avoid the accident. He said he swung the truck to the left in an effort to avoid the tragedy, but was too late. His vehicle careened across the highway and collided with the on-coming car, resulting in minor damages, and no serious injuries to any of the occupants.

Party in Truck

Kepes was carrying two passengers, his young brother, Nicholas Kepes, and friend, Bert Cooper, who were also going to town that Saturday evening. Cooper said that he was not paying attention to the road after they rounded a corner before a straight stretch, but that Kepes' attention must have been on a passing vehicle. Kepes corroborated this statement in his evidence. He drove on at a speed not more than 35 miles per hour according to both crown and defence evidence.

The bicycle carried a reflector on the back fender, and after the accident a flash light was found charging on the road side. The defence

Joseph Kepes (Continued on Page 6, Col. 3)

Vernon Delegates to Attend Legion Meet

President Mayor David Howrie and P. W. Tremblay were chosen on Tuesday evening at a regular meeting of the Vernon Branch of the Canadian Legion, B.M.L., to represent this branch at the Provincial and Dominion convention of the Legion in Vancouver next month. Alternative delegates are H. P. Coombes and E. G. Sherwood.

Now We Can Talk About the Weather

Censorship regulations now permit references to the weather, and The Vernon News is very glad to be able to resume weekly reports on temperatures and sunshine, as compiled by meteorologist Franklin Smith. For the period May 3 to 9 inclusive, temperatures are as follows: Max: 74, 78, 73, 70, 69, 66, 62. Min: 34, 39, 46, 39, 37, 47, 40. Hours of sunshine same period: 12.7, 12.5, 13.4, 13.1, 6.4, 2.9, 6.3.

Chinese Market Gardeners Protest Marketing Policy

Chinese Consul in City to Mediate in Dispute With Vegetable Board

Ying Yu Huang, Chinese Consul, of Vancouver, is in Vernon on a mission to assist Chinese growers in the district, who, at this early stage in the new production season, have found themselves confronted with a marketing problem, which they claim results from a new policy enacted by the Interior Vegetable Marketing Board.

On Tuesday Mr. Ying visited Chinese growers in the district, and that evening held a meeting in the Chinese section of the city to ascertain their views on the new marketing scheme, which they say will make it necessary for growers to market their produce through one shipper.

According to Mr. Ying, the Chinese growers feel that one shipper would not always be in a position to take all of their crop, and the surplus would have to be sold to the canneries at a price that would not offset their costs of production.

On Wednesday Mr. Ying met Thomas Wilkinson, chairman of the Interior Vegetable Marketing Board, and a number of shippers, but an agreement was not reached. He intimated that the Chinese would be making a decision at a conference the next morning.

Mr. Ying returns to Vancouver tonight, Thursday.

Protest "Methods" Used on Troops Here

It is not possible to obtain the reaction of high ranking military officials stationed in the Vernon military area to the statement made in Quebec yesterday, Wednesday, by the Quebec and Lewis Trade and Labor Council (A.F.L.) that "intimidation methods" were used on Klaka troops.

The council's protest followed an alleged statement by one of the delegates, Claude Desbians, that "his son who had been sent to British Columbia for having refused to sign for active service had told him he had been treated so badly there that he was obliged to sign for overseas."

Employees of Vernon Firm Bring Honor and Distinction to Interior

Charles Griffin, employee of the Hudson's Bay Company, Vernon Store for 10 years, received from C. J. Copithorne, Unit Organizer for the Sixth Victory Loan, the much prized "V" Pennant, on Saturday morning, signifying that the employees have purchased bonds in the current Loan in excess of 15 percent of the payroll. In the Fifth Loan they won a similar award. In fact, the Hudson's Bay Company Vernon Store has pioneered in Group Sales, formerly known as pay-deduction plan. Two years ago they were the first firm in Vernon to prove this method of purchasing Bonds was workable, and it has since been adopted by all firms with a staff of six or more.

Mr. Copithorne's remarks were particularly apt when he said when presenting the Pennant, that the response of the employees to each successive loan was becoming a habit, "when your bonds mature, they will have something concrete for the future," said Mr. Copithorne.

Employees Of (Continued on Page 6, Col. 7)

Grave Concern Expressed Over Progress of Loan

Complacent, Apathetic Attitude of Public in Vernon Cause of Anxiety

With the campaign for the Sixth Victory Loan within a few days of its conclusion, officials here are not a little disturbed with the apparent apathy of the public, which is cutting down the volume of sales. The facts are that investments in Bonds are dropping steadily behind the fine effort made in Vernon during previous campaigns. The picture in the North Okanagan, as it stood at 4 p.m. yesterday, Wednesday, is as follows: Vernon city, \$378,600 or 84.1 percent of quota; Vernon district, \$65,550 or 81.9 percent; Oiyama, \$19,400 or 77.6 percent, and Okanagan Centre \$10,150 or 67.6 percent.

Vernon Girl Wins Bursary At University

Several City, District Students on U.B.C. Pass List Just Issued

Miss Edna D. Baumbrough, daughter of W. H. Baumbrough, of Vernon, has won the Khaki University and Y.M.C.A. Memorial Fund Bursary, it was announced yesterday, Wednesday, by the Extension Department, U.B.C., in announcing University results.

Several city and district students are included in the pass list, which for this area is as follows: Faculty of Arts and Science; Bachelor of Arts degree, passed second class, Barbara E. Godfrey, passed with supplements; Carol M. S. Martin, Bachelor of Commerce degree, Richard G. Saunders, all of Vernon. Third year, passed first class, Aldyth M. Ireland, Armstrong, second class, Edna M. Baumbrough, second class, second year, passed, Clarence R. Henderson, Falkland; Nancy A. MacLaren, Oiyama. Myra E. De Beck, Vernon, passed with supplemental, William D. McCubbin, Vernon, passed in all subjects written, David R. Pepper, Vernon, Second Year Commerce, passed, Jean H. Beddome, Vernon.

First year, passed second class, Floyd W. Bigsby, Armstrong, James L. Borden, Vernon, Alan C. Brooks, Okanagan Landing; Winifred B. Godfrey, Vernon; Ruth E. MacDonald, Salmon Arm; Harold J. Sigalek, Lumby; Frank A. Orasak, Oiyama.

Second year, with supplemental, Janet A. K. McGuire, Vernon.

Faculty of Applied Science, B.A. Science degree, chemical engineering, passed second class, Perry M. Hooper, Salmon Arm.

Fourth year, mechanical engineering, passed with supplements, George H. Blumenauer, Enderby. Second year, passed second class, George L. Calver, Salmon Arm. Number Two Canadian Army University course, junior level, passed second class, Peter de Wolf, senior level, passed, John Illington, both of Vernon.

Successful Drive For Air Cadet Funds Here

Melville Beaven, head of the local Rotary Air Cadet Committee, reported at last Monday's weekly luncheon meeting that the Dominion-wide drive for funds for the Air Cadets had successfully concluded in Vernon with \$507 "in pocket."

Half of this amount will go to the Provincial Air Cadet Committee in Vancouver, and the remaining half will remain with the local committee to bring direct assistance to the Vernon High School Air Cadet Squadron.

H. D. Pritchard, Cadet Flying Officer, in charge of the local squadron, was guest of Monday's Rotary meeting, and in a short address he asked for a full turnout at Wednesday's annual inspection in the Civic Arena.

WFO J. Kibler, Air Cadet inspection officer, of Vancouver, was in Vernon on Monday to give the local Cadets a final check-up before their big day of the year.

The Girl Cadets were also stood rigidly at attention and were actively in appearance as the inspecting party, passing through their ranks. The girls were uniformly dressed in blue skirts, white blouses, and blue ties.

Cadet Major Mike Nutter, 210, then called the officers to "take post" after which the attention moved forward, came to a halt, and gave the general salute.

As the Cadets "marched" they were accompanied by the skirling of bagpipes, and the rhythmic tapping of a drum. Miss Helma Poole played the pipes, and Miss Betty Harrison was the drummer.

Hon. E. C. Carson In City Tuesday

Hon. E. C. Carson, Minister of Trade and Industry, also his Deputy Minister, M. G. Rowbottom, will address a general meeting of the Vernon Board of Trade next Tuesday evening, May 16, at a supper meeting in the National Hotel at 6:30 p.m. C. R. D. Foris, departmental photographer, will also be a guest and will show films recently taken of the Okanagan Valley destined for use in publishing British Columbia in the post-war period.

Among regular business which will take place that evening, is the election of a vice-president to succeed Robert H. Mawhinney, who recently left Vernon.

Enderby Leads North Okanagan in 6th Loan

ENDERBY, May 9.—Telegrams of congratulation have been pouring in to P. G. Farmer, Enderby, chairman Victory Loan campaign this week, when this district went over the top in the Sixth Loan drive and received their first pennant. The occasion was marked by a gathering of residents, school children and teachers who marched to the City Hall where the ceremony took place. Members of the boys and girls' cadet corps attended in uniform.

On behalf of the committee, chairman P. G. Farmer, introduced A. Howlett of Vernon, who raised the pennant. The quota for Enderby and district was \$54,000, and now, as in the past, the quota has been reached at a comparatively early stage in the drive. Also present at Friday's ceremony was C. J. Copithorne, Unit organizer. Salesmen A. Woodley and R. Grahame have been high in their praise with the manner in which subscriptions have come in. "Residents here are now War-Loan-minded, and it is a pleasure selling Bonds in this district," one salesman stated.

One of the telegrams recently received from Hon. Dr. K. C. MacDonald, Minister of Agriculture, and ran as follows: "Congratulations to Enderby and district on again being first over the top." Another was received by Mr. Farmer from C. N. Stacey, Deputy Vice-chairman, B.C. Yukon Committee, which said, "Not surprised but extremely delighted that you are again among the first over the top. Congratulations, and here's hoping your final will be a record over-subscription."

District farmers are watching eagerly for signs of rain this week. The land is extremely dry in this district, and moisture is badly needed. Alfalfa, too, will be benefited by a shower. Vegetation is now at its best, and fruit trees are a mass of bloom. High water has not become a question of alarm as yet, but it is not until near May 24 that record levels are reached at the local bridge.

Bert Gosnell, who has been employed during the past few months on boats on Okanagan Lake, arrived home on Saturday to visit his mother, Mrs. W. Gosnell, at Leon Lake.

Mrs. E. Dean accompanied by her small son arrived on Friday from Eastern Canada for a stop-over with her mother, Mrs. J. Lucas. Mrs. Dean's former home

Efficiency Medal For Enderby Man

ENDERBY, May 9.—Mrs. D. Lindsay has received word that her son, E. Lindsay, is present stationed in England, was recently awarded the Canadian Medal of Efficiency. (Censorship regulations forbid mentioning his rank). The medal was mailed to his wife who resides at Medicine Hat, who, in turn, sent it to his mother in Enderby. The soldier so honored is well known in the district having attended school at Hulse and Armstrong, and has been on active service since the commencement of the war. He served through the Sicilian campaign.

former Marjorie McMahon, who for some time has played the Church organ and been a member of the choir.

The Enderby Baptist Church is having a considerable amount of work done to the exterior of the building. Already a new entrance has been built.

Mrs. Gordon Parkinson and small daughter returned on Saturday after spending the winter with Mr. and Mrs. McAllister at Victoria and Nanaimo. After joining her husband at Canoe, Mr. and Mrs. Parkinson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. Parkinson at Enderby.

Bill another Enderby family to move away, leaving Saturday, was Mr. and Mrs. Vern Parkinson, who are now located at Cameron's Point, Okanagan Lake. They formerly resided at Ashton Creek.

OKANAGAN LANDING, May 10.—Miss Phyllis Welch of Vancouver, is visiting her mother, Mrs. P. W. Welch for two weeks.

Mrs. P. R. Finlayson is spending a week-end vacation in Vancouver with her mother, Mrs. P. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Fryer, former residents of South Vernon, are now living at Okanagan Landing, having purchased Fred Grahame's residence here.

Mrs. Frank Lloyd and Mrs. Jack Veale spent a few days in Kamloops recently.

Armstrong Homes Entertain Guests

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War Loan Committee Turns Over \$67.21

Enderby Hospital Group Benefits by Pantomime

ENDERBY, May 8.—A splendid attendance marked the regular monthly meeting of Enderby Hospital Auxiliary on May 2, when it was unanimously agreed to send a letter of thanks to the War Loan Committee in appreciation of \$67.21, turned over by them to the Enderby Hospital Auxiliary as proceeds of the play "Aladdin and His Lamp," which they had sponsored in the K. of P. Hall at the end of April. Members are most grateful for this excellent contribution. As their share in the enterprise, Auxiliary ladies supplied refreshments to the visiting troupe. Various letters of thanks were sent to all those outside the Auxiliary who had assisted with this part of the evening's entertainment, especially to Mrs. A. Green, who made the coffee.

Treasurer Mrs. C. Parkinson reported that the Auxiliary now has on hand \$330.

Inspection Committee, Mrs. V. King-Baker, reported that at the last sewing bee a number of pyjama tops had been made, and she now has on hand a number of sheets, infants' nightgowns, pyjamas, and many other articles for whenever the supply is needed at the hospital. It was decided not to hold a sewing bee during the month of May as one had been held so late in April, which brought all the mending up to date. Mrs. J. Kope, visiting committee, reported that she had made several calls on sick members and had sent flowers and cards as the need arose. Mrs. E. Webb, buying committee, reported that she had on hand a number of yards of flannel in readiness for further demands.

New Hospital Equipment

Secretary Mrs. W. Pantou read a letter from Dr. J. Kope, giving particulars relative to the new operating table which members voted to purchase at once. This new table is valued at \$77 and with freight and extra charges will total over \$100 when landed at the hospital. The old table has been in use for many years.

The members of St. George's Anglican Church W.A. at their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, decided to hold an "Apron Tea" at the end of May which all members of the Church are invited to attend. During the afternoon, judging of a competition will take place, the article in question being the best garment made from a flour sack. A prize will be awarded the winner, and the W.A. will later entertain at tea.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hassard of Vernon, were in Enderby on Wednesday, visiting with their family in town and at the Hassard Ranch, also with their son, Elmer, who arrived at the end of the month from Vancouver, where he was employed with the Fire Department. Mr. Hassard has taken up residence on the former Bert Hassard property, which he recently purchased and will make his home here. His wife and family arrived on Friday to join him.

Mrs. Harry Danforth, who has been holidaying during the past two weeks with her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Danforth, at their home in Tacoma, Wash., arrived home at the end of the week. She was met at Vernon by her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. William Preston, accompanied by Constable and Mrs. Charlie Whisker, and small son, Chuckie, of Salmon Arm, visited with friends in Enderby on Monday.

Christening Sunday At Lavington Home

LAVINGTON, May 8.—The little daughter of Capt. and Mrs. W. A. J. Stamer was christened Rosemary Sean at their home last Sunday. Cpl. Jack Stamer, R.C.A.F.C., recently returned from Overseas, was the week end guest of his sister, Mrs. Ivan Prosser.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Sarsons spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Clendenen, C.W.A.C., on a short leave from the Coast, was a recent visitor at the home of her sister, Mrs. Clendenen Jackson, for a few days.

Mrs. J. W. Watkins, who has been a patient in the Vernon Jubilee Hospital, and also recuperating at the home of her mother, Mrs. Morris, of Vernon, has returned home. Friends are glad that she is much improved in health.

Lavington Ladies' Aid held a meeting on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. R. Longway. National Film Bond pictures were shown again at the school on Friday evening, when a good crowd attended.

Sherk and Sons are hauling logs from the Bluenose Mountain district to their mill in Lavington.

Lieut. Charles Cranston was home on leave last week at Cym Dale Ranch.

Past Presidents of Kin Conduct Meeting

May 1 was Past Presidents' Night for the Vernon Kinmen, and at their bi-monthly dinner meeting at the National Hotel, Phil Sterling occupied the chair, Ron Gull, acting as secretary. Business and entertainment were arranged by the Club's past president, W. D. McTaggart directed and took part in two or three humorous skits.

Guest speaker of the evening was J. L. Watkins, who gave a graphic description of his recent trip to Windsor and Detroit.

Visitors included P.O. Lawrence Kelly, R.C.A.F., and L.O. C. McDowell, R.C.A.F. The Kinmen here provided musical entertainment, which was much appreciated.

Applications For New Farm Implements Only If Essential

Applications for new farm machinery should only be made when it is absolutely essential that new machinery is required. The farm machinery ration officer for the War-time Prices and Trade Board reports scores of applications received this year from farmers who had usable machinery available but wished to supplement their present equipment with new machines.

The boys overseas say that Victory Bonds "will be so nice to come home to."

Birthday Party For Armstrong Baptist Group

ARMSTRONG, May 8.—Mrs. W. O. McKee was speaker at the annual birthday party of the Women's Mission Circle of the Regular Baptist Church, held on April 25. In the absence of the president, Mrs. W. O. McKee and vice-president, Mrs. B. Vilet, Mrs. W. Meggart presided.

After welcoming members from other churches who attended, greetings were brought from the United Church by Mrs. W. H. Mills; from the Presbyterian Church by Mrs. Harvey and from the Anglican Church by Mrs. B. F. Young. Misses Agnes Dyck and Miss Mary Aslin sang a duet.

Mrs. McKee took "Fear" as her topic, from Isaiah 41: 10. She cited various scriptures, urging her audience to trust in God.

A birthday cake was the centre of attraction at the tea hour, when Mrs. G. Bell, Mrs. J. H. Wilson, Mrs. J. D. Shepherd and Mrs. W. O. McKee poured.

Pte. Ken Ward, who has seen considerable active service in the Mediterranean area where he was severely wounded, has returned to his home here.

James McCallan, who returned last week from a month spent with relatives at the Coast, has been notified that his son, P.O. Vernon McCallan, is in Canada after active service with the R.C.A.F. He will spend some time at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulric Price and daughter, Miss Hazel Price, spent a few days recently in Kamloops. Twelve members of the Zion United Church Young People's Union attended a North Okanagan Young People's Rally in Salmon Arm.

Mrs. Ogilvie and her son Tom, left recently for Smithers.

Miss Doris Noble, who has been attending the University of Manitoba, at Winnipeg, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Noble.

Mrs. George Murray has returned home after spending the winter months with her daughters in California.

Henry Joy was a week end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ormond Graham.

Miss Sheila Rees, C.W.A.C., is spending furlough with her parents here.

On returning home on Saturday from attending the graduation exercises of St. Paul's Hospital at Vancouver, Mrs. William Sidney was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Marjorie Sidney, a member of the graduating class.

Some 30 members of I.O.O.F. attended the morning service at St. James' Anglican Church, on April 30.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Echlin have returned to Oliver after a few days spent with Mrs. Echlin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Lesher. Other guests at their home are Mrs. Lesher's two sisters, Mrs. W. A. McIntyre, of Kamloops, and Mrs. W. R. Barge of White Rock.

Donald Andrews is spending furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. Andrews.

Pte. G. D. Barnett Writes

"No Idea of War In Ok. Valley"

"You have no idea what war is about back there, in the sunny Okanagan," writes Pte. G. D. "Master" Barnett, son of Mrs. E. Barnett of Vernon, in a letter home dated the middle of March from Italy.

Pte. Barnett will be remembered as a keen basketball player here before he enlisted, and he has met a man in his unit from Penikese Island, who is also a "basket" fan. In the days when there was no Jerry to be knocked out, and no Hitler or Hirohito to be kept in subjection, the two used to play against each other on opposing teams. "I was a little better through this show alright, mother, and one of these days I'll be coming through that old front door again," he writes, which day cannot come soon enough for Mrs. Barnett.

Attached to an Artillery unit, as cook, Pte. Barnett continues that they "are a pretty swell bunch of guys." "Here you really work under difficulties," he says, but optimistically states that anyway "it is fun and different."

In a graver mood he describes some of the Italian towns which are nothing but a mass of rubble. "A pretty grim future lies ahead for those people, in fact that describes what more than a lot of ruin and mud up to your neck."

Miss Edna Barnett of Vernon is a sister.

Interest Stirred by Oyama Defence Club

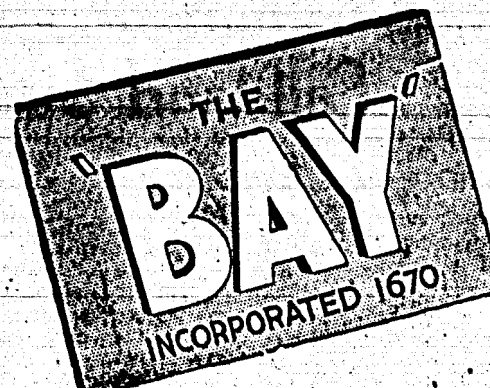
OYAMA, May 4.—The first meeting of the Oyama Home Defence Club was held on May 2, in J. Stephens' packing house. There was a large turnout of both Oyama and Winfield people, but the support of all those district residents would be welcomed. Charles Shill, District Game Warden, attended, and gave instructions to new members. Considerable improvements have been made over last year's club. Future meetings will be held every Tuesday at Mr. Stephens' packing house at 7:30 p.m.

P.O. Arnold Trowhitt, left on Friday for his posting in Alberta. Mrs. Trowhitt and Arlene will remain in Oyama for approximately two months.

Mrs. A. Bebo and Joyce, of Winfield, are living in Oyama at present while tending the asparagus fields of F. Miller.

Miss Doris Trowhitt, R.C.A.F. (W.D.), spent a week's leave with her parents in Oyama. She left for her base, Jericho Beach, Vancouver, on May 2.

Harry Aldred has sold his trucking business to G. Griffiths of Winfield.



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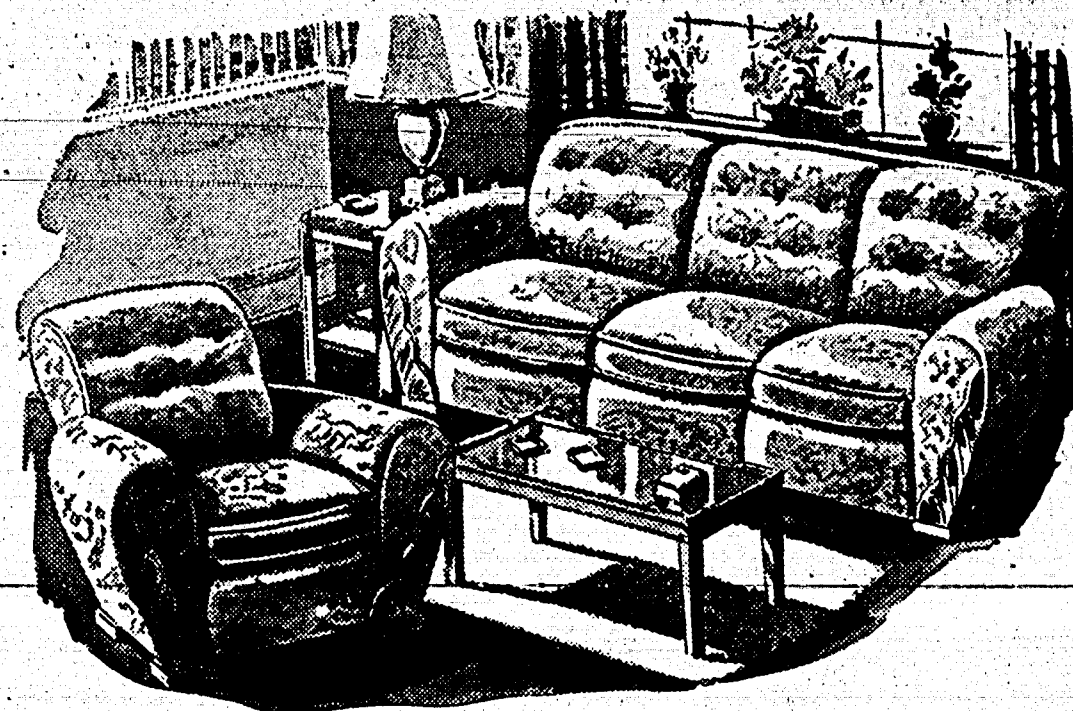


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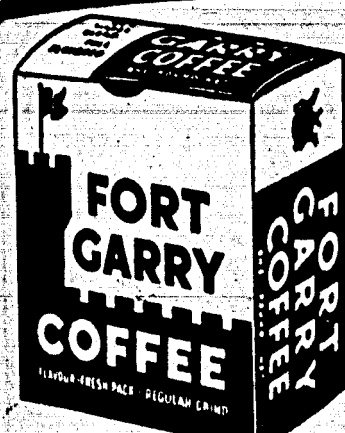
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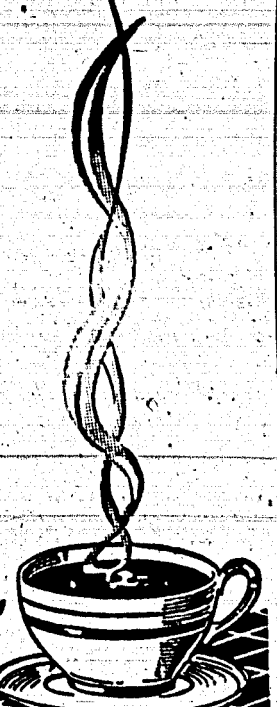
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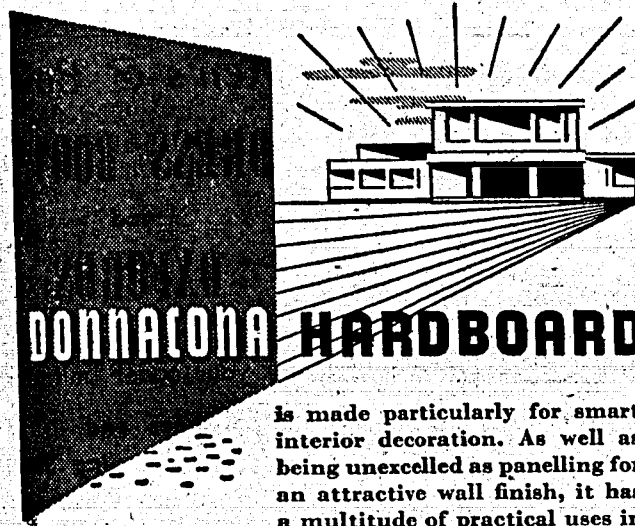
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Oyama W.A. Plans Garden Party Soon

OYAMA, May 9.—At the regular meeting of the W.A. on May 4, held at the home of Mrs. A. G. F. Prickard, it was arranged to hold a Garden Party on June 1. A special meeting to organize this event will be held at the home of Mrs. M. Beaton Smith, on May 24. Tea was served after Thursday's gathering on the veranda, looking over the beautiful gardens now at their best. Several guests drove out from Vernon for tea. Mrs. Prickard had made a large fruit cake for a weight-guessing competition in which Mrs. Smith and

Rev. A. V. Despard tied, each receiving half. During the tea hour Mrs. Beaton Smith, Mrs. Fraser and Mrs. Bateman provided musical selections. Mrs. V. Ellison, Mrs. A. S. Towgood and Mrs. Tompkins were hostesses.

Visitors in Oyama last week end were Jim McFarlane of Quesnel and Mrs. Millard's son and daughter, Ralph Millard and Mrs. H. Hackersmith with her son, Deane, of Great Falls, Mont.

"Put Victory First" and buy Bonds.

Community Association at Falkland Supports Loan

FALKLAND, May 8.—Falkland and District Community Association, meeting on Tuesday night last week, voted to purchase \$250 of bonds in the Sixth Victory Loan for addition to the sinking fund. The purchase constitutes a 25 per cent. increase over the 1943 investment. The sinking fund has been established principally to meet retirement of debentures at maturity. The Association further indicated its support of the campaign by donating use of the hall on Thursday for the movie supporting the Loan effort. Discussion of plans for the Victoria Day celebration indicates anticipation of a bigger day than ever.

Mackay, Smith, Blair and Company provided remarkably fine entertainment on Thursday evening last for an appreciative audience. Messrs. McKinnon and Kelley, employees of the firm, were in charge of the equipment which is obviously of very high standard. They produce their own pictures and the contemporary program is the firm's contribution to the war effort. Nor have the picture sequences been arranged in any haphazard fashion. The director is a master of composition and each succeeding "moment" leads steadily towards the climax. They are a truly noteworthy contribution to the nation's welfare.

Employment under the Vernon Box and Pine Lumber Company for himself but not for his horses caused W. A. Hambrook to put the animals to pasture. On Friday the horses got out of the enclosure on the Kamloops highway. Rounding a corner A. Lavery was unable to stop in time to avert a collision and the leg of one horse was smashed. Provincial police ordered the shooting of the wounded animal. As part of an amicable settlement, Mr. Lavery purchased the other horse.

George Porrier, Sr., now of McBride, on Thursday last began a week's visit among local friends. Mr. Porrier says he likes the north

May Coupon News

The ration administration of the W.P.T.B. reminds citizens that "F" canning sugar coupons from book three may be exchanged for preserve coupons on the basis of one "F" coupon for one preserve coupon.

This arrangement, however, is not operative until the coupons are declared valid. The first five "F" coupons become valid on May 25 and the second five on July 6. The conversion of coupons will be handled by the local ration boards.

Last Lap In Campaign At Lumby

LUMBY, May 8.—At the end of the second week of canvassing for the Sixth Victory Loan, Lumby had passed the half-way mark towards its quota of \$40,000. During the third week a final effort is being made by the committees to reach the objective. To do this, the co-operation of all local citizens is necessary.

At the May meeting of Lumby Women's Institute, plans for the annual May 24 celebration were discussed. Members of the school teaching staffs were present to make arrangements for the occasion. The usual sports and May Queen ceremony will be held in the afternoon followed by the annual dance in the evening. The possibility of having the afternoon celebration on the 23rd will also be investigated as regulations prevent transportation on the school holiday.

The pre-convention meeting of the Lumby and District Farmers' Institute on Tuesday evening, May 16. Election of delegates to the District "C" Convention and the discussion of resolutions for presentation at the convention will be the main business. All members are urged to attend and bring a neighbor.

Walter Sumner, National Film Board Representative presented the May program of films to a Lumby crowd in the Community Hall on Thursday evening.

A house bridge party sponsored by the Anglican Guild was held at the home of Mrs. D. Saunders on May 1. Prize-winner for the evening was Mrs. C. D. Bloom.

Present for the occasion was Pte. D. Saunders of the Veterans' Guard who is at home on furlough from Sicily. A sister, Mrs. Cooke of Vernon, has also been the guest of Mrs. Saunders.

Mrs. John Major left Lumby on May 3 for a 10-day visit with relatives and friends at Vancouver and Victoria.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. W. MacMillan of Lumby, on the birth of a daughter, on Sunday, April 30.

WAG Sgt. Harold Breeze is Listed "Missing" April 29

Arthur Breeze, a resident of this city for the past two, and one-half years, received the disquieting news by cable on April 29, stating that his son, WAG. Sgt. Harold Breeze, R.C.A.F., of Nelson, is listed as missing after air operations over enemy territory. The airman's wife is a resident of Nelson.

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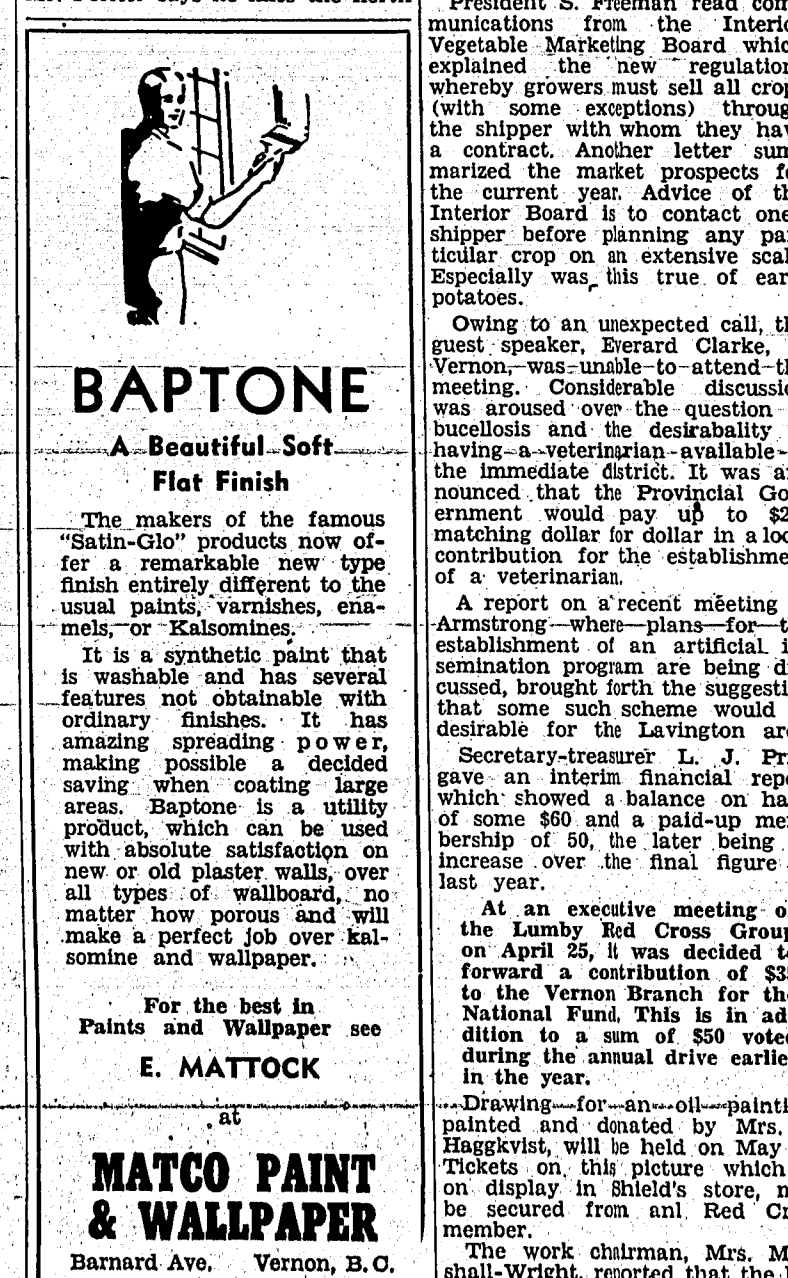
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Lumby Farmers' Institute Discusses Vegetable Deal

LUMBY, May 8.—Discussion and reports on the 1944 vegetable deal were the main topics on the agenda of the April Lumby and District Farmers' Institute meeting held at Lavington School on Wednesday, April 26. Some 17 members were present.

President S. Freeman read communications from the Interior Vegetable Marketing Board, which explained the new regulations whereby growers must sell all crops (with some exceptions) through the shipper with whom they have a contract. Another letter summarized the market prospects for the current year. Advice of the Interior Board is to contact one's shipper before planning any particular crop on an extensive scale. Especially was this true of early potatoes.

Owing to an unexpected call, the guest speaker, Ernest Clarke, of Vernon, was unable to attend the meeting. Considerable discussion was aroused over the question of buccellosis and the desirability of having a veterinarian available in the immediate district. It was announced that the Provincial Government would pay up to \$250 matching dollar for dollar in a local contribution for the establishment of a veterinarian.

A report on a recent meeting at Armstrong, where plans for the establishment of an artificial insemination program are being discussed, brought forth the suggestion that some such scheme would be desirable for the Lavington area.

Secretary-treasurer L. J. Prior gave an interim financial report which showed a balance on hand of some \$60 and a paid-up membership of 50, the latter being an increase over the final figure of last year.

At an executive meeting of the Lumby Red Cross Group on April 25, it was decided to forward a contribution of \$35 to the Vernon Branch for the National Fund. This is in addition to a sum of \$50 voted during the annual drive earlier in the year.

Drawing for an oil painting, painted and donated by Mrs. S. Haggkvist, will be held on May 24. Tickets on this picture which is on display in Shields's store, may be secured from an Red Cross member.

The work chairman, Mrs. Marshall-Wright, reported that the last parcel of work forwarded to Vernon contained the following items: 9 pairs of socks, 4 dozen handkerchiefs, 4 bath towels, 1 woman's sweater, 2 children's sweaters, 3 dozen wash cloths, 2 girls' dresses.

The chairman is present at The Estemore Cafe every Tuesday afternoon from two until four o'clock to distribute material and receive finished work. Members of the Junior Group are active.

Rutland is Well Over Top in Loan

RUTLAND, May 8.—Rutland went over the top with a rush on Saturday, May 6, when sales of Bonds amounting to over \$4,000 advanced the local total sales from \$28,850 to \$32,750 or 109 per cent of the district's quota of \$30,000. In actual applications the Rutland district leads all others in the rural areas with over 75 bond purchasers to date. The local sales campaign is continuing, in an endeavor to increase the district's total to at least 125 per cent of the quota.

All orchards in the district are showing a heavy bloom and indications are that there will be a bumper crop if weather conditions continue favorable. Bloom was about full out on Sunday with a stone fruits slightly past stage. Growers are already beginning to worry about the thinning problem.

Local Girl Guides and the Brownies attended a rally in Kelowna on Saturday afternoon. The pupils of the Rutland High School held a hike on Sunday afternoon and evening, going over Grouse and Knox Mountains to Poplar Point, on Okanagan Lake.

G. Lindahl is a visitor to the Coast at this time. He intends to locate in the Fraser Valley if he finds a suitable farm.

Charles Reynolds left recently for the Coast to join the Canadian Army.

Water was turned down some of the B.M.I.D. ditches and flumes last week, and some growers are already commencing to irrigate, the extremely hot weather and winds having dried out the ground.

Mrs. Steve Kornze, Jr., passed away suddenly at Kamloops, following an operation. She had been ill a long time and a patient at Tranquille Sanatorium.

Grindrod Man Injured In Fall From Horse

GRINDROD, May 8.—Nick Anichkoski was taken to the Endersby Hospital on Saturday morning, suffering from a broken leg caused by a fall from his horse.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. McEwen, accompanied by Mrs. Bailey, left on Friday for Victoria, where they attended the graduation of Miss Margaret McEwen, Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria.

Peter Novakowski is spending several weeks at the home of his sister, Mrs. Mike Smah.

Grindrod school children are putting their spare time to good use at the school in planting Victory Gardens.

Dorothy Hope of New Westminster is visiting at the home of Mrs. A. Golly, for a short time.

Miss Helen Dangol, of Courtenay, is spending several days at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. Dangol.

L.A.O. Charlie Grandlemire, R.C.A.F., is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Eric Rosoman, accompanied by her nephew, Raymond Anichkoski, has returned to Mann after a long stay.

Alfred and Gordon Kenward, of Kamloops, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Monk.

Mrs. John Lambert, of Siamous, spent Saturday with Grindrod relatives.

Sgt. George Halksworth is spending several days with his wife and family before leaving for the front to join his unit.

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P.-&-G. Soap	6 Bars 27c
Nabob Baking Powder, 4-oz. tin	19c

FRESH FRUIT AND VEGETABLES**Fans Crowd Bleachers For Softball Opening**

The grandstand in Polson Park was practically filled to capacity on Monday evening when the opening double-header games in the current senior softball league were played.

The teams were all in good early season form and turned in two smart games. But the most startling aspect of the two tilts was the turn-out of fans estimated at around 500. Not since the old senior ball functioned in pre-war days has such a gathering of fans shown such enthusiastic interest. If the crowd keeps up, softball in Vernon is destined to become a chief recreation and sports attraction during the summer.

Nick's Aces defeated the Vernon High School boys 10-8 in a close contest that went into an extra inning. The army softballers of the Field Ambulance gave the B.C. Fruit Shippers a 7-3 trouncing in Monday's games.

The schedule includes, tomorrow, Friday, May 12: Vernon Military Hospital, vs. Field Ambulance; Nick's Aces, vs. B.C.F.S.

Monday, May 15: Battle Drill, No. 2 Wing, vs. High School; Field Ambulance vs. Nick's Aces.

Wednesday, May 17: V.M.H. vs. Ordnance; B.C.F.S. vs. Battle Drill No. 2 Wing.

Friday, May 19: Ordnance vs. Field Ambulance; Battle Drill No. 2 Wing vs. Nick's Aces.

Summer Season Opens**Crowd of 1,000 At Arena Dance**

Gay dancers, numbering nearly 1,000 flocked to the Vernon Civic Arena on Monday evening, to take in the opening of the arena's summer fun and sports entertainment season.

A varied crowd of versatile rug-cutters and waltz kings enjoyed the smooth rhythms of Romaine and his New Music Makers on the arena's hardwood floor which is reputed to be the largest and finest in the interior.

The building presented a gay spectacle. The orchestra was mounted on the east side of the floor on a scintillating platform officially called "The Shell." Changeable lights fitted the mood of the music.

Highlight of the evening was the drawing for "Moolah" the money-dressed doll, which fell to Pte. T. Weeks, R.C.O.C.

Another throng of arena patrons attended the first night of roller skating on Tuesday evening. Dances are scheduled for the arena each Saturday evening, until midnight, with Romaine and his New Music Makers providing the rhythm. Roller skating is being held every week night.

Manager Herb Phillips announced on Monday evening that arrangements have been completed for a one night dance appearance at the arena of Mart Kenny and His Western Gentlemen on Wednesday evening, May 31. Further details of this will be carried in a later issue.

Joseph Kepes

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submitted evidence to prove that the reflector was in poor condition.

That it was doubtful if Kepes should have seen the flash light become reasonable when Harry Donald said that he did not see the flash light as he approached the scene of the accident.

Don Fillmore, defense counsel, of Kelowna, stated to the jury that the reflector of the bicycle did not show up its position on the road; that the cyclist did not turn on his flash light until too late; and that the lights on Harry Donald's on-coming car made it hard or impossible for Kepes to notice the cyclist. Another point was that the cyclist was wearing dark clothes.

Gordon Lindsay stated in the crown's case that one question was prominent: "Should Kepes have seen the bicycle when the other occupant of the truck, Bert Cooper, saw it 150 yards behind?" If so, there would have been evidence to prove that Kepes was guilty of negligent driving and was responsible for Kuper's death.

The jury considered their verdict for over two hours, and before reaching a decision of not guilty, returned to seek further information of evidence previous to the accident, and instruction in law.

Other witnesses were Kelowna policeman, Constables George Wyman, and Constable Jules Collins; Dr. W. E. Anderson, of Kelowna; B. Backmann, and Joseph Ackerman, of that district. Foreman of the jury was Thomas Wilkinson, of Bonaville, and the jurors were W. A. York, John C. Williams, R. W. Carwell, R. J. Carwell, Jr., A. E. Graves, W. J. Selwyn, J. L. Johnson, Vernon; R. W. Smith, Pentleton; P. M. Bowls, Armstrong; H. Lethebe, Kelowna; John Powick, Princeton.

Presbyterians From District Meet Here

The Kamloops-Kanagan Presbyterian of the Presbyterian Women's Missionary Society held its annual meeting in Knox Church, Vernon, on Tuesday, May 2. There were morning and afternoon sessions with Mrs. D. B. Johnson, of Kamloops, presiding. Delegates were in attendance from Kamloops, Salmon Arm, Armstrong, Vernon, and Pentleton. Miss Frieda Matthews, Field Secretary, was the guest speaker. She based her address on the theme, "The Christian as a witness unto me unto the uttermost parts of the earth."

The delegates and guests were entertained at lunch at the Ontario Cafe and later in the afternoon at the Knox Church. The Women's Missionary Society, Miss Fay Robinson and Miss Sheila Bwing contributed solos.

The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. D. B. Johnson; Vice-President, Mrs. D. B. Johnson; Recording Secretary, Mrs. A. B. Butterfield; Treasurer, Mrs. T. H. Hill.

Only two South American countries, Chili and Ecuador, do not border on Brazil.

Coupons Doubled in Value**Tea, Coffee Ration Upped**

Because reserve stocks have been built up in Canada, the Wartime Prices and Trade Board announces a 40 percent increase in consumers' rations of tea or coffee. This became effective on May 1 and applies to all valid coupons now in the hands of consumers, such as the green coupons from ration book three, the spare yellow "E" coupons from ration book three Nos. E-1 to E-6 and the green "T" coupons in new book four.

There is no change in the ruling that restaurants must not serve more than one cup of coffee or one serving of tea to one person at a sitting.

Each tea or coffee coupon is now doubled in value and therefore will be good for four ounces of tea or one pound of coffee. However, instead of the coupons becoming valid in pairs, only one coupon will be good for each period.

The valid days will be the second and fourth Thursdays of each month—not every second Thursday. For instance, in June there will be five Thursdays but no "T" coupons will be valid between June 22 and July 13—this being an interval of three weeks. Because of this provision the actual increase in the ration will not be 50 percent but about 40 percent. In May, therefore, the coupons falling valid will be T-32 on May 11 and T-33 on May 25. On June 8, T-34 will be valid and on June 22, T-35.

The Prices Board points out that the stocks are not great enough to justify ending rationing. Also, supplies reaching this country in the coming months will be subject to the war's needs and it is not possible to foretell what amounts will be received.

Canadian Legion war services announced appointment of an overseas regional committee which will direct the legion's educational work in the United Kingdom.

Large Bear Approves Of His New Neighbor

ENDERBY, May 8.—While inspecting their property on Wednesday, F. Hassard and his son, Elmer, until recently of the Vancouver Fire Department, had a momentarily frightening experience when they came face to face with a large black bear just a short distance from Elmer Hassard's newly purchased home here. However, Bruin decided to continue peacefully about his business with no more than a haughty glance at his new neighbors, so the tension was short-lived. It caused a few shivers of apprehension for a fraction of a second to Mr. Hassard, Jr., who had spent the greater part of his life in the fast-moving metropolis of Vancouver.

Lawn Bowling to Commence May 18

Friendly games will be played at the official opening of the Vernon Bowling Club next Thursday afternoon, May 18. Tea will be served in the pavilion later by lady members, and the Mayor and Council have been invited to attend.

An increase in membership is indicated, states president C. B. Lefroy, and a successful summer's play is anticipated. A window display by L. G. Hey, featuring lawn-bowling, including some of the trophies, to be played during the season, has attracted much comment during the past few days.

The newly finished motorship "Suorva" built by the Gota Works in Gothenburg will be used by the Red Cross to carry food from Canada to Greece.

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Former Quartermaster Dies
A former captain quartermaster in charge of Ordnance at Vernon Military Camp, Col. John Murray, died on May 8 at his home in South Slokan, from a self-inflicted bullet wound, according to findings of a coroner's jury.

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59cJudge Raps
Douchobor

John Makortoff, Douchobor, who pleaded guilty of five charges of defamatory libel in Supreme Court here last week, the charges resulting from letters written by him to Mr. Justice A. Manson, National Mobilization Board, and Donald Pennock, Selective Service Director, accusing them of accepting a bribe of \$50 to give a man military deferment, received a severe reprimand from the presiding Justice, Judge, Mr. Justice J. O. Wilson, at the conclusion of the Assizes here, Monday.

Makortoff, a member of the Douchobor community near Grand Forks, was sentenced to serve three months' imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$100 or an additional month in prison. Mr. Justice Wilson in his sentence, said that Makortoff's good character, and his willingness to admit his mistake, but he told the Douchobor that: "They do not by any means explain or excuse your action of defaming the Chairman of the Mobilization Board. I cannot see that your action could have proceeded from any but the worst motive, that of jealousy and the desire to supplant a fellow employee." Makortoff admitted writing letters relative to George William Challey being given deferment. Challey was employed by the Grand Forks Co-operative Growers' Association, where Makortoff was employed.

"The attacks, as you admit, were entirely without foundation in fact. The method of making the attack was both cowardly and criminal, since you sought to conceal your identity and preserve anonymity by signing the initials of supposed soldiers to the letters," declared Mr. Justice Wilson.

"The nature of the charges you directed against the Chairman of the Mobilization Board was insulting and defamatory in the highest degree," Mr. Justice Wilson continued.

"The operations of the Board affect the lives of thousands of our fellow citizens, and it is a particularly vile thing to do any act which might create in the minds of ignorant people some suspicion as to the probity of that Board. Those of you who know the chairman, know that he is above suspicion but he must not be subjected to attacks of this kind," Mr. Justice Wilson concluded.

Defense counsel, Harold McLean, of Penicton, submitted evidence to show that Makortoff was not an educated man, and also that he was sorry for the action he had taken. It was also proved that he was not a member of the fanatical group of Douchobors.

Girls, Women Solve Labor
Problem in Revelstoke

The farm and city labor problem is being met at Revelstoke by girls and women. Everett Clarke, representative of the Dominion Provincial Emergency Farm Labor Service reports. He has recently visited the Revelstoke area.

In Revelstoke he saw "strong" workers in black overalls repairing the railway road bed. They were young women who seemed able to handle pick and shovel as well as men. Truck drivers are young women who can back and turn three-ton trucks as well as any man. They are adept at loading and unloading too.

Mr. Clarke addressed a large meeting of farmers and their families at the Mount Carter Hall south of Revelstoke on Sunday. They have many young men in the army and farm work is being carried on by older people and women. Mrs. Nettie Kozak, 66 years old, operates her 40-acre farm entirely alone. She milks six cows, does the plowing, cuts her wood, attends to the chores and has a spotless house and lovely flower garden. She lives alone.

There are 173 people living in the Mount Carter district and practically all are Ukrainians second and third generation Canadians who are making an important agricultural district out of what was a swampy wilderness. Thirty years ago four families came to the district. These were the original settlers, the grandparents of many young married people there now.

"Moolah" Falls
To Pte. T. Weeks

Highlighting the opening dance at the Civic Arena on Monday evening, was the draw for "Moolah, the Money Doll." J. W. B. Browne, C.K.O.V. Kelowna, made the drawing after a brief speech by Joe Dean, Vernon Elks Lodge. The fortunate winner is Pte. Tommy Weeks, R.C.O.C., the portion falling to him being over \$600. Saleslady of the lucky ticket was Mrs. Eleanor Pike.

The sum of more than \$600 won by Pte. Weeks, present at the total receipts of tickets sold on "Moolah." Sponsors of the project are the Vernon Stageette Club and Vernon B.P.O.E. Lodge, both sharing the remaining half. The tickets will use \$300 for the Maidstone Street School inmates in London, England, and the Elks for their Save-the-Children Fund.

223 Squadron

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by a prayer led by Rev. James Dalton, L.T.H.

Before the presentation encouraging remarks were heard from Ralph Campney, K.C., vice-chairman of the Provincial Air Cadet Committee; Gordon Lindsay, chairman of the Civilian Committee; and May David, Esq., of Vernon, M. Beaven, chairman, Western Air committee attended.

The squadron then displayed a precision drill led by Flight Sgt. D'Arcy Duncan, followed by John Lyland, Sgt. Ellis Lindsay, Cpl. Ronald Denny, and Cadet AC1 Gordon MacDonald, each leading a drill section.

The inspection party was flown to Vernon, landing on Wednesday morning on Kalmak Lake. Another member of the party was Flight Lieut. P. C. Routley, Liaison Officer, Western Air Command, and the pilot of the amphibious aircraft was FO. George Williams, R.C.A.F.

Okanagan Landing News

The P.M.T. Club held their final meeting for this season last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Frank Choveaux.

John McCulloch of Vernon, has purchased Rev. Dr. Jenkin H. Davies' summer home here.

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Grave Concern

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Dolph Brown Limited, they having exceeded their quota considerably.

Bulmans Limited have qualified for the "V" pennant, showing the same response from their employees as was evidenced in the Fifth Loan when they were winning an award. Arrangements for formal presentation of the pennant are being made. Dolph Brown, member of the Victory Loan committee, reported Monday morning the victory of the "Vernon Rotary Club" in the "grave concern" is being experienced by officials.

Laughs Galore in
Popular Pantomime

After seven performances in Vernon and North Okanagan points, popular vote has it that "Aladdin and His Lamp" is a bigger riot than ever. By special request, a repeat performance will be given next Monday, May 15 in the Scout Hall at 8:15 p.m. On Thursday, May 18, it will travel to Kelowna for two performances under the auspices of the Rotary Club.

Author and producer W. S. Atkinson states that the pantomime has been added to the cast are by now so familiar with their various parts, that the performance goes through with a zip and polish which is only achieved after much practice and hard work.

Those who were unable, for various reasons, to see the pantomime when it was presented in Vernon before, are looking forward to Monday's show, and indications point to a full house.

Boy Succumbs
After Body Burns

The injuries sustained by Lorne McGregor, 19, who was severely burned by a phosphorous smoke bomb a few weeks ago, proved fatal early this morning, Thursday, when he died in the Vernon Jubilee Hospital. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. McGregor, of Armstrong.

The young man was herding cattle to the Goose Lake Range above the Kamloops Road, and on his return to the O'Keefe Ranch, where he was working, he picked up the smoke bomb, unaware of imminent danger. It exploded soon after he placed it in his back pocket to take home.

The Goose Lake Range is a training area for the military. It is understood that the Canadian School of Infantry conducted an investigation in an endeavor to find out how the smoke bomb was left behind. Military authorities, however, would not comment on the investigation.

Doctors stated, after the boy had been given early treatments, that his recovery was uncertain.

Employees of
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D. G. Skinner introduced Mr. Copithorne, concluding the little ceremony attended by all the employees. "What you have done for your par... and think Victory Loan," he said. Mr. Skinner said that the... was lagging. He pointed to the... of Enderby... the north Okanagan," which... on Friday topped its quota. "The armed forces also set an example to us who stay at home in...," declared Mr. Skinner.

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The Sailor

Sailor, home from the sea—
Where did you voyage last with your helm
a-lee

And your white wake foaming free?
Did you round the shining Coasts of
Barbary

Where grows the golden tree
And the silver fountain springs immor-
tally—

Sailor, home from the sea?

"Not there went we."

Sailor, home from the sea,
Did you steer north, where grimly, terribly,
The great bergs thunder free
In violet, emerald and blue immensity—
Where the red sun hangs at midnight,
where there be

The solitudes that freeze eternally—
Sailor, home from the sea?

"Not there went we."

"We have been out on convoy,
sixty and three
Squat little stalwart iron ships had we,
Crammed with sugar and tea
And flour and meat for hungry Chris-
tendie.
O they'll sit down to table merrily
In Willesden, Harlesden, Holborn, Ber-
mondsey,
Because we're home from the sea!"

By AUDREY ALEXANDRA BROWN

"They're Off," Sunday

"They're off" Sunday next in the Okanagan's biggest and richest public sports event.

With the triple objectives of competing for a rich \$1,633.25 in prizes, catching many good trout, and providing funds for perpetuation of angling in the valley, the Okanagan Lake Rainbow Trout Derby commences its initial season of operations on Sunday, May 14.

It is a safe bet that no competition open to the general public has ever "caught on" in the Okanagan to the extent that the Derby has. Potentially, the event has tremendous publicity possibilities for the valley. Of this the promoters, the three enterprising game clubs in Vernon, Kelowna, and Penticton, are keenly aware. With a continuation of the foresightedness that has so far characterized operations, the derby should pay rich dividends.

Then there is too the strictly sports angle. For years until the last two or three, Okanagan Lake was under a cloud so far as fishing was concerned. Hardy enthusiasts reaped hauls every winter, but it was not until two or three years ago that more than a small band enjoyed the lake.

The primary endeavor of the promoters is not, however, either the publicity, or the recreation angles, though of course these are not overlooked. What is needed in the Okanagan is some substantial and continuing effort to improve the sports fishing in the valley. For this purpose funds are required in adequate amounts. The derby should provide these funds so that a needed long range program of restocking may be undertaken.

Farm Labor Again

As the growing season progresses rapidly, residents of the Vernon area are due for a rude awakening when the magnitude of the farm labor problem becomes more fully realized.

At the present time, only a comparative handful of people who are intimately connected with orchard and general farming operations are fully cognizant of the potential seriousness of the situation.

A short recital of the facts should enable anyone to realize immediately that the time is now when an organization should be actively at work delving into the realities of the situation.

Canada generally is going into the summer season of 1944 with the worst labor shortage on record. Apparently plans for impending layoffs in war production centres have been changed, and the orders now are full power on for the balance of this year, at least. The national authority controlling labor, National Selective Service, is blocking all attempts by those in war industry to leave so that they might re-establish themselves in pursuits that will carry over into peace. This plainly means that any men wishing to return to agriculture will not be allowed to do so in time to help with this year's farm operations.

Indeed, the call is now out for additional help for essential industry. One place that these extra workers can come from is the rural centres. Therefore, the available labor supply is not likely to increase in places such as the North Okanagan, but rather to diminish still further.

The Okanagan Valley itself is anticipating the greatest tree fruit crop on record. Weather conditions so far have not been too favorable, but as yet no indications have come which would lead to the expectation that the tonnage to be handled will not measure up to early estimates. Vegetable plantings too show expansion under the bidding of profitable wartime markets.

Ever since the agricultural labor shortage first became acute in the valley almost three years ago, great stress has been laid on the procuring of soldier labor. Numerous plans have been advanced, scores of well intentioned resolutions have been passed and duly pigeon holed in Ottawa. Speaking frankly, this campaign has not paid dividends, so far as the Okanagan is concerned, from one cause or another. Either the soldiers have not been available, or the price has been too high, or something else has cropped up to interfere.

A survey of the situation will reveal that the prospects for soldier-labor are no brighter than in the past and, depending on circumstances, may well be poorer.

Active service men are enrolled for one purpose only—to fight. Home defence troops form what has been described as a reinforcement pool for overseas service, and already this manpower is being largely drawn on by military authorities. Repeated assurances have been given that the climax of the war in Europe may well be expected before midsummer. In calculating the available soldier-labor supply, due allowance should certainly be made for the expected changed situation as between this year and last year. In 1943 no second front was seriously contemplated and large numbers of drafted troops were held in British Columbia. But will these men still be here in August or September?

This labor problem is being vigorously tackled, and more successfully than in other parts of the Okanagan. In the Penticton area, for example, some 1,600 men, women, and children were recruited last season, though not all were used. This

year's objective is set at 2,000. In addition efforts are being made to improve the accommodation available for transient labor.

No End In Sight

Unless the authorities have real reason to believe that they will be successful in their current attempt to solve the perplexing Doukhobor problem, they would have been far better advised never to have stirred up the hornet's nest of fanatics.

The situation at the present time is that the Sons of Freedom are defying constituted authority rather successfully. A small fraction of the band has been put in jail but, as past experience shows, jail for the whole colony is not a solution.

If the Doukhobors are successful in having exemptions made for them under selective service and other wartime laws, they leave authorities in a rather dangerous position in dealing with other minorities. Never in the past have attempts to break down these people been successful, and it is not at all clear yet that the current attempt will have any different result.

An Invasion-Eve Jeep Trip In Britain

Somewhere in England. A military jeep trip through England these days brings extraordinary sights that can only be abbreviated and itemized. You can't drive five miles in this sector without passing some kind of invasion maneuver. Half the traffic is military; probably much more. Under a line of 300-year-old oaks a detachment of tank carriers is pulled up, each with a "Churchill" or a "General Sherman" on board. Ten miles farther, a string of grim armored trucks, with attendant vehicles, is moving along. You pass a stream and a batch of water-proofed vehicles is wading right up the middle of it. All sorts of independent military vehicles rove the roads, from staff cars with high-ranking officers to humble jeeps carrying correspondents like me.

I've been on board an invasion craft, an LCI. This particular vessel, like dozens of others tied up and waiting, came over under its own power. The harbors are as crowded as the highways. Every type of technical craft for every type of landing awaits the moment. This particular one will carry infantry. The officer who took us around said he watched it being built. He got to the shipyard on a Wednesday. It was then lying around, just junk of metal. Maybe he stroked it but he said it was launched and moving under its own power nine days later.

This officer developed a peculiar mixed attitude toward his unusual craft, half contempt, half awe. You could see he hadn't really been sure it would make the Atlantic crossing all by itself, and was a pleasure either. But you couldn't sink it and it had been a raw-pipe Noah had the same feeling toward the ark. . . . Sgt. Lewis J. Sandler of Boston, told me about Anglo-American relations. He helped form the Mill Pond Club where Tommies and Doughboys gather Mondays. An American chairman presided at the British forces center and alternately British and American. The Red Cross, fifty to 100 men, about evenly divided between the nations, generally attended. They discuss everything from war problems to India and the way the U.S.A. treats Negroes. The big thing is that a policy of absolute and utter frankness prevails.

Away from artificial hands-across-the-sea tolerance, a daring experiment of just letting the men sit down and thrash out things was tried—and it worked. To use Mr. Sandler's expressive words, "At first we heated each other up good, but now sometimes a Yank will defend the Empire while a Tommy sticks up for the States and gives another Tommy a kick for 'Want-for' is their way of trying to say 'wanting out'." Differing idioms presented the initial difficulties. Sandler relates how the Tommies at one mixed performance were convulsed at a music hall performer's slang, while Americans sat silent and wondering. But now they've learned the lingo.

Americans, Sandler told me at one point, are still trying to tell the British the difference between Republicans and Democrats. All I can say is that as an old-time Washington correspondent I can sympathize.

It is Sandler's impartial judgment, and I give it for what it is worth, that the British soldier knows a lot more about social and economic problems than the American, as well as what he's fighting for. "They sure know what the score is," said the Sergeant admiringly. He contributed it to the unfettered British A. E. C. (Army Educational Corps). Similar discussions are being launched for American soldiers but with an election on there is always the danger of a Congressional investigation. As my jeep dashed to catch a train, we were diverted into one-way traffic through a village. Four days before a bomb had fallen and killed 40 people in a shelter. It would be an untrue picture of wartime Britain that omitted such details.

Future for Fighters

Post Discharge Re-Establishment Order

Q. Under what authority are grants for subsistence paid to discharged members of the services?

A. These payments are made under a Privy Council Order, known as the Post Discharge Re-Establishment Order. One of the most important parts of the program is that it has become known as the backbone of the re-establishment plan.

Q. Who are eligible for grants?

A. The grants are divided into five categories. They are payable to:

(a) Those fit and available for employment who are seeking work and for whom there is no suitable employment.

(b) Those following a course of vocational training under the Vocational Training Co-ordination Act.

(c) Those who have embarked on private enterprises, such as farms or small businesses, and who are waiting for returns from those enterprises.

(d) Those temporarily incapacitated and unable to accept positions.

(e) Those furthering their academic education looking towards university degrees.

Q. What is the scale of grants?

A. Single men receive \$10.20 weekly and married men with their wives \$14.40 weekly.

Q. Is there any provision for children and other dependents?

A. Yes. Provision for these dependents is approximately the same as the Dependents' Allowance paid by the Dependents' Allowance Board.

Q. What is the period for which the grants are payable?

A. They are payable for twelve months, or the period of service, whichever is the longer.

Q. Is there any time limit in these grants?

A. Yes. The out-of-work benefits are available only in the first 18 months after discharge. Other grants must be applied for in the first twelve months after discharge or cessation of hostilities, whichever is later, or of a date set by the Minister.

Q. Are there any exceptions to this time period?

A. (1) Yes. Exceptions are made in the cases of those taking vocational training or furthering their education with a view to university degrees. In the case of university students, students are eligible for grants on a basis of month for month with their period in service. There is a further governing factor, that of scholarship and effort. Students whose records justify it can be carried right through to graduation and outstanding students, if it is considered to be in the national interest, can go through to post-graduate degrees. In the case of vocational training, the training, where necessary for re-establishment, may be carried beyond the twelve month period.

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AS I SEE IT

By Elmore Philpott

Canadian Markets Threatened

In his budget speech the British Chancellor of the Exchequer drew attention to one of the most important facts of our time:

Britain will emerge from this war stripped of overseas investments which yielded about one-fifth of her pre-war national income.

Many individual Englishmen and Scotsmen will still have some holding abroad. British insurance companies and investment houses still have investments overseas. But these will be but a fraction of what they were before the war.

Also, they will be offset by investments by outsiders in British properties.

These facts will be of profound significance for the people of the British home island. But they will also be of far-reaching effect right here in Canada.

For many years before the war the British people bought from us much more than they sold back to us. They made ends meet by using the income from their vast investments in Canada.

In other words the British people bought from us vast quantities of things like wheat, meat, fish, and apples. They paid for these partly by textiles, steelwares, porcelain dishes and so on; and partly by the surplus from the profits and interest received from Canadian properties owned by residents of the British Isles.

Now those investments are wiped out altogether—or offset by debts the other way round. Therefore, Britain will not be able to buy so much Canadian wheat and so unless she can sell more to Canada in return.

New Trade Relations

There are two possible ways in which Canada can step up to the plate and prevent the loss of a large part of one of our best markets. One way is to talk less and do more about holding British markets. We can cut to the very bone tariffs on British imports or, better still, establish complete freedom of trade with Britain—thus enabling trade to flow naturally.

But Canadian food which has formerly fed people in Britain or Europe could just as easily feed those same people if they lived in Canada.

It takes now as last year the same number of slices of bread and butter and quarts of milk to feed the British children "guests" or evacuees which we had here during most of the war. But now they have gone back to Britain.

That food has to be produced in Canada and shipped across the ocean before it can be consumed.

That should remind us all that there are two ways out.

One is to make new and better trade relations with the nations overseas; the other is to bring the people to the food, rather than take the food to the people.

Face Peace Intelligently

Experts have always differed about the size of the population which can be supported within Canada. Sir John A. Macdonald predicted 25 million people in Canada within a quarter century after Confederation. But by the time the great depression was on and the Second World War was just around the corner the fashion had swung to the other extreme. Deep pessimism was the rule.

Human beings were pouring into Manchuria at the rate of millions per year—much as our forefathers poured into this continent in earlier ages. Just over the border the Soviet was showing that a planned economy could also fit vast numbers of human beings into its national housekeeping—even more easily than they were fitting themselves in under rugged individualism in Manchuria. Yet many Canadians in this young undeveloped country talked like tired old men.

Surely the war should have taught us that we can do it if we have the intelligence and boldness to face the peace exactly the same as we finally faced up to the production and distribution end of the war this country will end the end of the war.

Before 1938 when Macdonald expected a hundred years earlier. But if after World War II we go vainly seeking what died before World War I we will drag ourselves and others back into worse misery than we had between the wars.

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Thursday, May 10, 1934

Vernon once again last Friday and Saturday enjoyed its annual tulip show, when the Scout Hall was visited by a large number of spectators. The affair was under the auspices of the Vernon Horticultural Society. Citizens had every reason to be very proud of the beautiful display of all kinds of tulips shown by T. W. Hyland.

Visiting with Mr. Hyland's exhibit were the displays in the same section by the Mills Ranch and by S. B. Hamilton. With more than 50 enthusiasts present from Kamloops, Armstrong, Salmon Arm and Kelowna, Mayor H. W. Frowse officially declared the bowling greens open for the season last Thursday.

The usual games between the president's and vice-president's teams were then arranged. The present drew making a fine bid for the honors, but he was worsted by vice-president

LUMBY, May 8.—Salesmen for the district in the Sixth Victory Loan drive are Jack Hefghway, Ernie Pierce, E. Megaw and John Prior. Chairman of the Sub-unit is C. D. Bloom.

Cpl. Tom Moore, R.C.A.M.C., left Lumby on April 20 for Patawawa, where he is stationed. While in Lumby, Cpl. Moore visited his mother, Mrs. V. Moore of the Elementary School staff.

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Delegate From Winfield To W.I. Coast Convention

WINFIELD, May 9.—Mrs. Phillips, president, Winfield W.I., will go to Vancouver for the four-day W.I. convention commencing May 30. At the regular meeting of the Winfield branch, plans were discussed for a social to be held in July. A committee was formed to take charge, which is: Mrs. T. Duggan, Mrs. C. Metcalfe, Mrs. G. Shaw and Miss Hiet.

It is reported the cigarette fund is not being as well supported as sponsors would wish. W.I. members are calling at district homes, and a sympathetic response is expected to their appeal for "smokes." Their aim is to send a supply to district men overseas monthly.

The Girls' Club had as their guest at their meeting on April 28, Rev. A. R. Lett, of Oyama, who gave an inspiring address. President Mary White introduced Mr. Lett to members. Refreshments were served by hostesses Misses Ruby Williamson, Joan Mitchell and Jeannette Metcalfe. One new member was welcomed. At last Friday's meeting prospects of the Club becoming a junior W.I. were discussed. Miss Nancy White was elected vice-president.

St. Margaret's Anglican Guild was entertained at Oyama Vicarage recently with 16 members attending. A Sunday School picnic was planned, to be held at Petrie's Corner, on July 4. After the meeting adjourned Mrs. A. Smith and Mrs. Bateman gave a piano and

violin recital. Mrs. Seaton contributed three songs. Mrs. Lett later served tea.

The Brownies were really thrilled with the Rally in the school on Saturday. The girls had their own "Scout" Hall on Saturday, thanks to Mrs. Seaton, Mrs. J. Lang and Rev. A. R. Lett for providing transportation.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duggan are spending a holiday in Vancouver.

Special Mother's Day Service will be held at St. Margaret's Anglican Church on Sunday at 7:30 p.m. Reg. Bilcox is a patient at the Vernon General Hospital.

F. C. Brown and his daughter are at their ranch here for two weeks.

A guest of Mrs. T. Brinkman, last week, was Mrs. J. M. Miller, formerly Mrs. Beachley of Lumberton, Peace River.

A triple christening took place at the United Church last Sunday afternoon. The little ones are Janice Patricia Metcalfe, Ronald George Williamson and Edward Thomas Shanks. Rev. J. A. Petrie officiated.

Rutland Debates Construction of Modern School

RUTLAND, May 8.—A meeting of ratepayers of the Rutland school district held in one of the classrooms on Wednesday evening, April 28, resulted in a resolution by unanimous vote authorizing the trustees to obtain estimates and specifications for the construction of a school auditorium, which will also include lunch rooms and other conveniences to improve the facilities at the Rutland School. The cost is estimated at \$20,000 and it is proposed to start construction some time in 1945. The school principal, D. H. Campbell, outlined the reasons for asking the ratepayers to proceed with this new venture.

Trustee Montgomery, who was in the chair, and George Day, both reported upon the results of investigations into the Oliver School facilities, made recently. A. S. Matheson, school inspector for the district, was present and answered a number of questions regarding the plans for the new development. The prospect of consolidating the Rutland, Black Mountain and Ellison school districts was also discussed, and J. McGarvie of Ellison, who was present at the meeting, expressed his support of the idea. Such a plan would not mean the closing of the primary school in the districts concerned, but would necessitate bringing the secondary school pupils to the Rutland Junior and Senior High by bus. Regardless of any such consolidation, or the attitude of the other districts to the proposed development, the meeting was unanimously in favor of Rutland going ahead with the plans for the auditorium on its own.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Rutland United Church, met at the home of Mrs. W. McDonald on April 27.

There was a good attendance of members and a good deal of business was transacted. The ladies discussed the possibilities of raising funds to build a new church, and the secretary was instructed to take up the matter with other church groups and to look into the matter of possible grants. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the hostess.

Pte. Olyver Jackson arrived home recently from Vancouver Island, on six months' agricultural leave.

Joe Husch left a few days ago for Vancouver to undergo medical treatment and will be away for some weeks.

Mrs. Sarah Dudgeon is visiting friends at the Coast, and will be away for two or three weeks.

Mrs. Paul Bach left recently for Vancouver, where she will spend a holiday at the home of her sister.

Mrs. W. F. Schell is in Portage La Prairie, Man., attending the graduation of her son, Clifford.

Nephew of Kedleston Man On Loan to British Army

KEDLESTON, May 8.—A nephew of H. E. Hitchcock, Lieut. John Harold Hitchcock, is among a party of Canadian Army officers who have volunteered for service with the British Army Overseas. Aged 23, Lieut. Hitchcock, who was born in Vancouver, where his parents reside, joined the Canadian Scottish in 1943, and after receiving his commission in May of that year, was posted to the Oxford Rifles. He left his studies at U.B.C., where he had completed his third year majoring in geology, to enlist. He has two brothers on active service, AB—Frank was the navy; Cpl. Bill with the R.C.A.F., and one sister, Nursing Sister Frances, with the army.

A well attended dance was held in Kedleston schoolhouse on April 29.

The range in this district is now at its best, being golden with sunflowers. Farmers, however, express the hope that there will be some rain in the near future, which is badly needed.

Armstrong News Items

Mrs. W. H. Mills, president, was appointed delegate to the Provincial Conference of B.C. Women's Institutes to be held in Hotel Vancouver, on May 30, 31, June 1 and 2.

D. Oldman won fourth place in the 8 x 10 class of the S.P.O.A. photographic contest held recently in Vancouver. Mr. Oldman won second prize in the group photo class.

Lt. David Henderson recently spent a few days with his mother, Mrs. William Henderson, Sr. Lt. Henderson is transferring to a Winnipeg Regiment and leaves in the near future for that city.

Mrs. A. Ponko left a few days ago for Vancouver.

Summertime Here, Snow on Prairies

Vernon had a preview of summer the latter part of last week, as the temperature climbed to 78 degrees on Thursday, May 4, the hottest day of this year, according to meteorologist Franklin Smith. Friday the mercury registered 73 degrees and on Saturday 70. It was May 23 last year before a similar temperature was experienced, it being 79 on that day.

Vancouver broke its weather registering 71 degrees on May 4. In sharp contrast is the story brought to Vernon by Sgt. Douglas Smith, R.C.A.F., who arrived at his home here last Sunday to find snow blanketing the moisture-starved districts of Southern Manitoba last week. Blizzards prevented flying in that area for several days.

Lumby Chooses 1944 May Queen

LUMBY, May 8.—Lumby's 1944 May Queen for the traditional ceremonies on May 24 will be Ruth Ulmer, a Grade VII pupil elected by vote of the entire school.

Elected as her attendants were Jeannie Pickering and Isabella LeBlanc, both of Grade VIII.

Flower girls for the occasion will be Lynne Blashly, Ruth Hill and a third one, Elsie Schoenmeier, will replace Phyllis Tidy, who has left the district. Most popular boy chosen by the school vote was John Cadden.

The annual celebration which is sponsored by the Lumby Women's Institute will end with the usual dance in the evening.

Twenty-six Scouts and more than half as many Cubs were put through their first tests by Commissioner C. W. Morrow of Vernon, in the Community Hall, recently. In attendance were a group of Scouts from Vernon and members of the local committee.

Commissioner Morrow expresses himself as being well pleased with the response to the Scout movement in the Lumby district. He stated that the size of the local troop would do credit to a much larger centre.

At a special meeting of High School pupils, Nora Carey was elected secretary-treasurer of the Council, to complete the term of Bernice Shunter, who has left school.

L.A.C. George Brisco was at his home in Lumby over Monday night, May 1 while on transfer from Yukon to a new station on the Pacific Coast.

Two Local Men Join R.C.O.C. Carroll Willem and Leslie Wheeler who left Lumby some 10 days ago have joined the active army in Vancouver and will be attached to the R.C.O.C. Both boys are well known in this district.

Staff of the Goldstream Training School were guests recently to 50 local ladies at a dance held in the Community Hall. Contests and prizes added a touch of novelty to the affair which all agree proved to be most enjoyable. Hostess rules were in effect and the men expressed their appreciation of the local people who made the affair possible.

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Pte. Holweg is spending 30 days debarkation leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Holweg, and other close relatives in this city. He was sent home for health reasons, and as yet is not sure if he will receive a discharge.

Although not born in Vernon he lived here for many years, and received his education in Vernon schools. He enlisted during the early part of the war.

The first memorial to the dead of this war has been unveiled in Britain. It is a window in the old church of the Yorkshire village of Kirk Bramwith, the money for which was subscribed by the parishioners.

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W.I. Provincial Conference May 30

The B.C. Women's Institutes will hold a four-day conference in Hotel Vancouver, Vancouver, commencing on Tuesday, May 30. The Provincial Board, under the direction of president Mrs. B. P. Gummow of Peachland, has drawn up a program which should provide both information and inspiration for the delegates who are to attend from all parts of the Province.

Keynote of the conference is war service and rehabilitation — with special reference to the best ways in which rural women may co-operate in this work. Special speakers will include Hon. Dr. E. G. MacDonald and W. McGillivray, who will deliver timely addresses. On Wednesday evening the official delegates and officers will be guests of the Provincial Government at an informal banquet in Hotel Vancouver, attended by His Honor, the Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Woodward, as well as other distinguished guests.

Hon. H. G. T. Perry, Minister of Education and Dr. G. F. Amyot, Provincial Officer of Health, will speak on Thursday. Other prominent W.I. officials will also speak during the intensive program. The Conference will close with a model institute meeting.

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"Must Improve Our Eating Habits," Says Nutritionist

A distribution of bulletins through the medium of food stores will probably be undertaken this summer, sponsored by the Canadian Council on Nutrition, under the auspices of the Provincial Board of Health. In Vernon on Thursday was Miss Mary Baldwin, Provincial Nutritionist, who addressed a small, but representative meeting of teachers, school nurses, social service workers and others, in the High School. "There must be an improvement in Canadian eating habits," said Miss Baldwin, admitting, however, that there was a tendency towards better feeding during the last four years. Prior to that time, economic stress entered largely into the picture for the Canadian housewife, now that it is removed to a large extent.

Medical examination of men called up for defence training shows that many young people are suffering from physical defects, a large number of which are due to faulty food habits.

In the group of bulletins which it is proposed to circulate, out to her audience by Miss Baldwin, there are lists of foods needful for proper nutrition; patterns or suggested menus for meals; score sheets for each day's meals to be used by children over a short period; food preservation, suggestions for saving. That right foods cost no more money was a state-

ment by Miss Baldwin, who emphasized that necessary foods can be provided at varying costs.

Miss Alice Stevens struck the right note when she suggested that men should be informed on food values. "In many homes the father doesn't like a certain dish — why it just isn't served," she said, which drew a murmur of agreement from the meeting.

Miss Baldwin will be in this district again in June, when she proposes to probe the best sources of placing the bulletins before the public, through the medium of food stores, as has been done in Victoria and other cities.

The school teachers, public health nurses and home economic departments in Vernon have done much spade work in this regard, and Vernon is fortunate in having the children so instructed, which information in many instances permeates the home. Particularly is this so of the foreign-born. A story together with statistics, compiled by Miss Evelyn Clarke, was published in The Vernon News about a year ago. This caused comment and general interest was stirred up, as to the eating habits of children, and was referred to at Thursday's meeting.

Miss Baldwin was a tour of the interior on a similar mission and left on Thursday evening to continue her work.

Blossom Time Ceremonies For City and District Brides

Hughes - French
One of the loveliest weddings on the roster of spring nuptials was enacted in a flower-setting on Saturday, May 6, when Beverly Elizabeth, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy B. French, Broadview, Rancher, Vernon, exchanged marriage vows with Lieut. Thomas S. Hughes, R.C.E., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Hughes, Wabana, Belle Island, Newfoundland.

A profusion of spring blossoms, which were at their best last week end, decorated the Vernon United Church, and the 3 p.m. ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Jenkin H. Davies, in the presence of a large congregation.

An all-white motif characterized the bridal entourage, a toe-touching full-skirted model of white tulle, styled with sweetheart neckline and narrow, pointed sleeves mistled in a white silk net veil falling from a lace Juliet cap being the choice of the bride, who was given in marriage by her father. She carried white roses and gardenias and was preceded by the aisle, marked by small nosegays on the guest pews, by her sister, Mrs. Waring D. Kennedy, herself a bride of last August, who wore her own wedding gown of white silk crepe, slightly trained, also with sweetheart neckline, complemented with a Mary Queen of Scots headdress and accented by a bouquet of crimson carnations.

Chief Harlan was groomsmen, and Lieut. H. Cole and Lieut. Lorne Brooks were ushers. Mrs. C. W. Gaunt-Stevenson presided at the organ, and during the signing of the register, Capt. Johnson sang "Because."

As the bridal party descended the church steps, fellow-officers of the groom formed a guard of honor, using their swagger-sticks.

A fairy-like setting, commented upon by the host of guests who gathered at the "Broadview" home of the bride at the reception which followed the ceremony, was provided by the apple-blossom, then at its best, as well as spring flowers of every color in the well-kept borders. The reception room were also a mass of flowers. Guests were received by Mrs. Percy E. French, groomed in black crepe, black sailor hat and a corsage of creamy gardenias, the whole complemented by a milk throw, as well as the bridal party. An Italian cut-work cloth covered the table, centered with a three-tiered wedding cake, flanked by bud-vases of valley lilacs and maiden-hair ferns, also four silver candlesticks with lighted ivory tapers, at the base of which tiny bouquets of pastel shaded flowers were tied with satin bows. Presiding at the urn were Mrs. W. B. Carson, wife of the Officer Commanding Coldstream Battle Drill School, where the groom is on the staff, and Mrs. H. L. Coulson, Serviteurs were Mrs. Jean Brimacombe, Misses Mary Joy Taylor, Patricia Watkins, Jean Flavin, Joan Montague and Mabel Warr.

John White, who has known the bride from childhood, proposed the toast to her, to which the groom very ably responded.

For a short honeymoon spent motoring in the South Okanagan, Mrs. Hughes donned a suit in pastel blue, with navy accessories and a corsage of white gardenias, carrying a matching top-coat, collared in beige fox. Coming down the stairs, the bride threw her bouquet according to the best traditions, and it was caught by Miss Patricia Watkins.

Lieut. and Mrs. Hughes will reside temporarily in Vernon, taking up residence at the Brighton Apartments.

Sandulak - Leek
A two-piece ensemble in turquoise blue, tiny black hat with half-wreath of pink roses, black accessories and a bouquet of pink and white carnations and fern was the choice of Ethel Viola, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Leek of this city, for her wedding on Friday, May 5 to Pte. William Sandulak, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. Sandulak, of Thorold, Ont. Rev. Dr. Jenkin H. Davies officiated at the 7 p.m. ceremony held at the Manse.

Mrs. J. Shumay was her sister's only attendant, wearing a two-piece costume of rose crepe, brown of lace collar, and corsage of pink and white carnations. Archie Leek, brother of the bride, was groomsmen.

A host of friends gathered at the reception held at the home of the bride's mother, where followed the marriage rites. The rooms were decorated with pink and white streamers and apple blossom. Centring the table, laid with a damask cloth, was the wedding cake, flanked by vases of roses, carnations and other pastel shaded spring blooms. Ted Kirk proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom responded.

Pte. Sandulak left Vernon on Monday for a new posting. Mrs. Sandulak will make her home with her mother for the present.

Barlow - Both

The chapel of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria, was transformed with a profusion of spring flowers by nurses of the bride's graduating class on Thursday evening, May 4, when Wilma Marie Both was united in holy matrimony with Joseph Barlow, R.C.A. Wearing her mother's beautiful wedding gown of Battenberg lace over satin with a floor-length veil, carrying a bouquet of pink roses, white sweet peas and lily of the valley, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Both, Vernon, was given in marriage by her father. The groom is son of Mrs. J. Barlow, 999 Tattersall Drive, Victoria.

Miss Annemarie Both attended the bride as bridesmaid, and chose a toe-touching gown of pale blue net, carrying a posy of pink roses, blue iris and pink sweet peas. William Barlow was groomsmen, and Jack Williams ushered.

A reception was held later at the home of Mrs. William McMillin, Oak Street, attended by 40 guests. A light blue dress and matching hat was worn by the bride for a wedding trip to the mainland. L.A.C. and Mrs. Barlow will reside at Bella Bella.

Girl Guide Officials Here on Inspection

A very full program of inspecting and training was mapped out for the Provincial Girl Guide Council, which arrived in Vernon on May 4, leaving for Kelowna on Friday.

On Thursday afternoon they visited the Brownie Pack, who met in All Saints' Parish Hall. In the evening they attended a joint gathering of Goldstream and Vernon Girl Guides, held at the home of Mrs. J. Montague, Captain of the Vernon Company, presented their new District Commissioner, Mrs. H. L. Coulson, in turn presented Provincial Commissioner, Miss Illingworth and Miss Hanna.

During the evening, Miss Both Alderman, Lieut. Goldstream Guide Company, was presented with the Gold Cord, the highest award any Girl Guide can win. Miss Illingworth complimented her in a short address. Many badges were also presented.

On Friday afternoon a number of the local association were present while Miss Gray Nichol, Brown Owl, took part of her test for the Eagle Diploma.

In the evening there was a Training Class for Guides, Patrol Leaders and Secondaries, to which twenty girls and leaders, including the captain and lieutenant, and Armstrong 20, with similar officers, Goldstream and Vernon Guides with their leaders also being present.

The local Associations from the three towns also sent representatives and it was felt not only the "final evening," but the work of the two days would be greatly increased and encourage the spirit of the Girl Guide movement in this district.

A Partner Bridge will be held in connection with the Armstrong Guide Company on May 26. It is hoped that this affair will find it possible to start a Brownie Pack in the near future.

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Women Welfare Officers

New Role for Red Cross Personnel

Red Cross women welfare officers have now been serving for several months at base hospitals in North Africa and in the Middle East.

The welfare officer acts as a link between wounded men and their families at home. Badly wounded men can dictate letters. If a man is too ill even to dictate, the welfare officer will write on his behalf. The correspondence comes by airgraph to the British Red Cross headquarters in London, whence it is addressed to the soldiers' homes. The welfare officers shop for men. They teach them occupational therapy. They also meet hospital trainees to give the wounded men and women a sense of purpose and confidence.

All volunteers, these welfare officers live under stern conditions often under canvas and in isolated places.

The Ministry of Health of Britain, with the co-operation of the British Red Cross Society and Order of St. John, are arranging for industrial workers, who show signs of war strain to be admitted to a number of country hospitals but not present needed hitherto used as auxiliary hospital for that purpose.

The course of treatment, normally about two weeks, will consist of physical exercises, games and excursions, rest and interesting pastimes.

Chrysler Chapter Calls All Knitters

Chrysler Chapter, I.O.D.E. Regent Mrs. R. Plummer, has received an urgent appeal from headquarters for more knitted comforts. The Chapter has plenty of wool and materials; all they need is more knitters. Anyone who will work for them can obtain wool on Friday afternoons between 2 and 4 p.m. in the Board of Trade rooms.

They are asking also for odd scraps of material of all kinds for clothing quilts. Any suitable scraps can be left at the Chrysler Chapter's room in the Post Office building on Tuesday afternoons, Mrs. George French is in charge. Anyone who will take sewing home can obtain suitable materials at the same place and time.

Four Grandparents Attend Christening at City Home

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Davidson of Vernon, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Douglas-Hamilton of Armstrong, paternal and maternal grandparents, attended the christening on Friday afternoon of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alan O. Davidson at their home on Elgin Street. Rev. Dr. Jenkin H. Davies officiated at the 4:30 p.m. ceremony when the baby, born on January 4, 1944, was given the name of "Shella Margaret."

Vernon Stageette Club's April Dances Financial Success

Proceeds from two April dances, sponsored by the Vernon Stageette Club, total \$150, April 8; and \$125, April 15. It was disclosed at a recent meeting in the Club rooms at the back of the National Hotel. The sum, \$275 altogether, will be devoted to the Stageette's project, children housed in Maldstone Street School, London, who are bombed-out-victims.

D. G. Skinner gave an inspiring address, impressing on the group the necessity of supporting the Sixth Victory Loan to the utmost. Stageette members, who conduct a monthly house-to-house canvass for War Savings Stamps, report an excellent response from their zone, \$14 being subscribed in April.

25 Years Wed For Well Known Residents of Lovington Area

LAUGHTON, May 1—Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Kirk celebrated their silver wedding anniversary on Friday, April 28, at their home here. Several guests were entertained who arrived during the evening to tender their good wishes from Vernon, Kamloops and the immediate vicinity. Cables were also received from Great Britain, which were in good time for the celebration. Mr. and Mrs. Kirk have resided in this district for nearly 20 years.

Mrs. J. Griffin to Attend Pythian Sisters Convention

Mrs. J. Griffin, of this city, past chief, Vernon Temple No. 21, Pythian Sisters, will attend the annual B.O. convention of Knights of Pythias and Pythian Sisters to be held in Penitence on May 17 and 18. Grand Chief Mary Goucher

will direct the Sisters' deliberations. Hopes are entertained that officers of the Washington domain and perhaps the supreme chancellor of the Order will be in attendance. Reeve Robert Lyon will welcome the Pythian Sisters at 10:30 a.m. on May 17.

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